

MIDDLESBORO DAILY NEWS

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THE WEATHER

Unsettled with local showers Monday and probably Tuesday; slightly warmer.

BELL COUNTY'S QUOTA WILL BE OVER \$500,000

"Mud Tax" Lasts for Six Months In the State.

NO RAISE IN TAX

The Allotment Will Be In Proportion to the Mileage of the Primary Roads.

LEXINGTON, July 7.—"Put Kentucky on Highways Map." United we move forward, Divided we stick in the Mud." "The Truth will carry the Bond Issue," are some of the "slogans" of the Kentucky Good Roads Association, and the Greater Kentucky Committee. These organizations, in the coming campaign, in the interest of A Greater Kentucky, propose to place the matter in a straightforward manner, before every voter in the old Commonwealth, explaining the bond bill, and the vast benefits to accrue to all our people by the adoption and carrying out of the provisions of said bill. It is one of the greatest forward movements for the betterment of conditions in the State, undertaken within a century, or since the days of Daniel Boone; as three-fourths of Kentuckians are handicapped by a "mud tax" of large proportions, lasting from five to six months every year.

The bond issue will not raise the tax rate one penny. Every county will receive an allotment from the bond issue in proportion to its mileage of primary roads, area and population. Bell County's proportion will be approximately \$4,000 for roads; this does not include the allotment for rural and high roads of the county.

The counties which have completed or have approached completion of the mileage of primary system, will have their allotments reduced to sums only sufficient to finish up their work, and the remainder of their allotments will be assigned to other counties where needed.

No Plans Made For a New Commissioner

The city of Middlesboro is still minus a commissioner with no indications of the vacancy being filled within a short time. Mayor J. H. Keeney and Commissioner J. E. Evans stated today that they had made no arrangements for providing a third member of the city body, that the matter might be delayed for some time.

There is no special need for haste in the matter of selecting an official to take the place of C. E. Cooke who resigned last week. As long as the mayor and commissioners agree on the questions coming before them the majority necessary for passing an act is present. In the event they could not agree, the commission would be deadlocked until another member with voting strength to decide the matter could be chosen.

Officers Enjoy Meal Shiners Had Prepared

NORTON, Va., July 7.—Sheriff Pat Kennedy and Deputies Lee Huneycutt, Watt Green and Tom Hartford and R. L. Fink, Constable, destroyed a large "double header" blockade still outfit.

The plant was located near the high knob and included two large stills, a quantity of meal, several gallons of whiskey and beer. When the officers approached, two men were cooking dinner and they ran away and the officers being very hungry finished cooking dinner and had a hearty meal which they enjoyed very much, as the shinners had a large supply of groceries and eatables on hand, and had a large tent stretched over the outfit.

Two Convicted Under "White Cap" Statute

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 7.—Charged with entering into a conspiracy to take human life, Will Jackson and Flournoy White must undergo an intermediate sentence of from three to twenty-one years in the state penitentiary, the Supreme Court held Saturday. They were convicted under the "White Cap" statute, a law passed when nocturnal beatings were administered in the state. It was charged that they circulated a petition wherein the signers pledged themselves to require W. H. Hayes to leave the community or they would get him."

Light Walls Save Gas, Say Germans

By Associated Press.
DRESDEN, Germany.—The sombre hued wallpapers so prevalent in Germany are giving way to lighter shades. The change is not due to artistic reasons, however, but to the education of the public to the fact that light-toned walls save gas and electric bills.

SCHOOL TO STUDY CRIME ORGANIZED

Police Chief of Los Angeles Establishes School to Educate Officers.

Associated Press.
LOS ANGELES, Calif., July 7.—Organizations of the Southern California Academy of Criminology is announced here by Chief of Police August Vollmer, who is an authority on criminology. The organization has been perfected by Chief Vollmer and Dr. E. C. Moore, president of the University of California, Southern Branch, after many weeks of preparation and discussion in which scientists, educators and policemen collaborated with bootleggers, bandits and other more or less notorious members of the underworld.

The purpose of the academy is the scientific compilation of community opinion on the cause and conditions of crime and the best methods of crime prevention. The membership includes appellate court judges, university professors, county law enforcement officers and police officials. Only men and women of recognized ability in field of criminology and sociology will be admitted into the organization, it was

stated.

One of the methods to be utilized in gaining first hand knowledge of crime and criminals will be a series of lectures by law violators and by leaders of such alleged anti-government organizations as the Industrial Workers of the World and the Communists.

SHINERS PURCHASE SUGAR BY THE TON

Sugar Market Affected by Users of South-Molasses Also Is Used.

Associated Press.

COLUMBIA, S. C., July 7.—The ups and downs of the sugar market have a decided meaning for the makers of moonshine, according to Robert Kirksey, United States marshal for western district of South Carolina. His jurisdiction includes that portion of the mountainous regions of the state known commonly as the "Dark Corner," which had a reputation for producing "good corn" in moderate stills long before the Volstead edict.

Sugar and molasses, Kirksey said, play an important part in the manufacture of moonshine liquor and the lower the price of those staples, the higher the profits of the manufacturers, who often buy sugar by the ton.

Fewer Lynchings This Year; Only 5 So Far

Statistics which have just been made public by the department of records and research of Tuskegee Institute show the total number of lynchings in the United States for the first six months of 1924 to be only five. All of them were negroes.

This is a decrease of ten over the same period in 1923, and it is encouraging and gratifying to note that statistics from the institution says that the record is the lowest for the first six months of this year than for the same period of any of the forty years during which the record has been kept.

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Offenses charged in the five lynchings were: assault; attempted assault 1, and killing officer of the law 1.

States in which lynchings took place were: Florida 2; Georgia 2; South Carolina 1.

The record for the first six months of each year since 1921 is 1921, thirty-six; 1922, thirty; 1923, fifteen; 1924, five.

Southard Residence Destroyed by Fire

The residence of Brook Southard, Twenty-fifth street was practically destroyed by fire of unknown origin at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. The building was practically consumed by the flames when the firemen reached the scene.

Nearly all the household goods were saved. The building, a six-room cottage, was the property of J. G. Fitzpatrick. It is reported that the house was partially covered by insurance.

John Howard, local attorney who has made an exhaustive investigation of the case is now in possession of facts which strip the painter of the romance fancy and under-informed relatives had built around him, leaving him in much the same condition as when fortune apparently touched him with her magic wand and made him the talk of two continents. Gustave Salomez, who Steve was supposed to be, has been dead nine years, the report shows.

The documentary proof does not touch Steve's claims to the Canadian estate, though investigation has shown that this property does not exist; at least leading banks and business firms of Montreal have failed to locate it. But to get down to cold facts, the communication from the American Consular Service at Lille, France, to Mr. Howard follows:

Lille, France, June 21, 1924.
John Howard, Esquire,
"Attorney-at-Law,
Middlesboro, Ky., U. S. A.

"Sir:
I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 6th, 1924, requesting certain information regarding the Joinville Estate, and your desire to be advised if a reward had been offered for the finding of the lost

SIX W. VIRGINIA MINES WILL OPEN TODAY

Agreement Will Affect Twenty-Six Companies.

HIGHER DAY WAGE

Union Is Not Recognized In Forty-Five Mines In the Kenawha Coal Fields.

By Associated Press.

CHARLESTON, W. Va., July 7.—Twenty-six companies operating forty-five mines in the Kenawha field, posted notice this morning announcing resumption of operations under modification of the 1917 agreement in which the unions were not recognized. According to the announcement of Secretary D. C. Kennedy, secretary of the coal operators' association, the day rates will be slightly higher than those of 1917. They were operated under union agreement prior to March 31 of this year.

Mr. Kennedy stated that six of the mines operating under the agreement will resume production today.

Young Coolidge Near Death Last Night

Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, July 7.—After a night when it is said he was near death several times, Calvin Coolidge, Jr., son of the president, is still fighting for life. During the night young Coolidge suffered three slaking spells and at times was near death. During the morning hours he rallied which increases hope of his recovery.

The patient recovered from the effects of anæsthetics administered last night when he submitted to an operation in an effort to check the disease, but his general condition at first better, then became slightly worse. Encouragement grew, however, when during the day he began to rest little easier but late in the day a less optimistic view was taken.

The operation performed was on the left leg below the knee. Strangely enough, to the lay mind the infection—from a blister formed during a tennis match last Monday—began on the right foot. The efforts of the surgeon were pronounced as having accomplished all that could be expected, but the gravity of the situation was not alleviated.

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WASHINGTON, July 7.—The point of gravity reached this afternoon the condition of Calvin Coolidge, Jr., suffering from blood poisoning in a hospital, was clinging to life with wonderful tenacity but hope held out for recovery. The staminus the boy is exhibiting is described as "marvelous." After consultation physicians, President and Mrs. Coolidge went to the White House for luncheon, indicating doctors felt the boy was not actually in a dying condition.

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BARING; INSANE SENT TO MATTEAWAN

White Plains Man Ordered Committee On Alienists' Testimony.

Associated Press.

WHITE PLAINS, July 7.—Clarence O. Baring wh was accused of trying to murder his wife by placing deadly poison in her food, was committed today to Matteawan asylum for the insane. Baring was declared insane by two alienists after an examination.

CONTRACTORS WILL REPAIR WEST END ST.

City Orders Work Done In Compliance With the Report

WORK BEGINS SOON

City Churches Protest Sunday Baseball—Mayor Will Investigate the Law on Subject.

West End property owners won the initial victory against the Hubbard Construction company when the city requested the contractors to remedy the conditions complained of in the detailed report made by the corps of engineers which investigated the condition of the new streets last week.

The report was submitted to the city commission at its regular meeting this morning and accepted by the body. It agrees, in the main, with the contents of the formal protest filed by the property owners with the city.

A member of the construction firm stated that work of remaking the street to comply with the suggestions contained in the report would begin as soon as possible.

Protests against the practice of allowing Sunday baseball at the city athletic park were filed by the First Baptist church, the Middlesboro Baptist church, the First M. E. Church and the Christian church. All were formal resolutions declaring that the practice was not for the best interests of the city and that it is a violation of state laws.

The papers were accepted by the commission and filed, Mayor J. H. Keeney stating that it would be necessary to ascertain the legal status of the question.

LONDON MANSIONS NOW APARTMENTS

Fashionable Mayfair Lanes Pristine Glory As Fashion Center.

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TWO FOUND: IDENTITY IS LACKING

Bodies Floating In Bear Grass Creek and Ohio.

NO VIOLENCE

Coroner Is Inclined to the Opinion Unfortunate Met Death By Drowning.

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imum charge, \$1.00.

THE RADICAL SPLIT

The acceptance of Senator LaFollette of the nomination by the self-styled progressives at Cleveland can give little hope to the political camp opposed to the republican ticket this fall. The action of the Conference for Independent Political action in the Ohio city has been expected for days and the acceptance by Mr. LaFollette was nothing more than the carrying out of a well rehearsed program of

his own making. The nomination of Duncan McDonald at St. Paul by the Foster radical wing of the progressives and the nomination at Cleveland of Mr. LaFollette splits the socialistic progressive camp in twain. As to the choice between groups, the St. Paul meeting was by far the most representative. While the meeting at the Minnesota city was dominated by Foster and men of like radical views, it was much more representative than the Cleveland meeting. The latter meeting was a one man affair, staged by LaFollette lieutenants and standing for nought but LaFollette and his ego. Both are absolutely without a constructive program and will be taken by the thinking voter at their face value.

The side tracking of the republican "Old Guard" at Cleveland had a wholesome effect both in and out of the party. It was a long step in advance without a far departure from the traditional safe and sane policies of the past. The new regime starts out with its face towards the rising and not the setting sun; ready to meet the new problems of government in the spirit of 1924. With the wide split in the democratic party as evidenced by the contentions at New York the past two weeks, the party ceases to be a vital factor in the 1924 campaign. With the organization split in twain by religious and sectional differences that have been interjected into the convention, the best that can be hoped by the party of Jefferson and Jackson is a poor second if not standing third in the 1924 contest.

The situation taken as a whole is one of great responsibility for the republican party. If a sane program of government administered in the spirit of progress, is vouchsafed by the present administration, there is little doubt but the people of the United States will enter into one of the greatest eras of prosperity the coming years that has been in the history of the land. Safe, sane progressive government will do more to discount demagogery than any other one thing. A program of free speech, religious tolerance, sound economics in domestic affairs with a well-golded foreign policy cannot help but bring the respect of not only our own people but the regard of the nations of the world. There is nothing in the outlook in the campaign of 1924 that can bring anything but hope to the people of this great land.

McAdoo's presidential boom seems to have gone along with Henry Ford's.

The impression in certain circles is that there won't be a bit of coal burning next winter.

Our idea of a strong ticket that should suit everybody would be Al Smith for president, and Mr. Volstead for vice-president.

Why not have the Rhode Island legislature hold a session between acts at the Democratic convention. There is nothing like variety in vaudeville.

If we ever run our large super-flivver over the bank at the Gap, we hope we'll knock down some of the hills.

Great Britain is to send music teachers to Germany. This is even worse on the German's than the Versailles treaty.

Now that they are pinching the Irish in Ireland for making whiskey, it

looks like nobody has any fun anywhere.

Detroit bricklayers are getting a hundred a week which is probably the reason everyone in Detroit lives in an automobile instead of building a home.

Our idea of a real live convention would be one where Bremer, Foster, and LaFollette had each about one-third of the delegates.

Judging from Mr. LaFollette's platform, we judge this is a mighty poor country to live in and this leads up to the question, why hasn't he moved out long ago?

Blasting by liquid oxygen can be done at about a two-fifths cost of that by dynamite. Which scientific fact should bring great joy to the Rhode Island legislature.

The Yale School of Music is to have a new professorship of jazz music and now the first thing for the learned professor to do is to decide if it is music or just plain noise.

One explanation is that New York itself was slow to meet the visitors. There were enough places to keep them busy and entertained outside the city.

Scientists have discovered that the modern bath tub is a mighty unhealthy thing. This is what we contended while quite a small boy and we point with pride to our crib.

Our office expert estimates that there were sufficient nose powder used on noses alone during the Fourth of July, just past, which if made into whitewash would completely cover the Great Wall of China, and sufficient remains to whitewash the Cumberland aqueduct bridge after they let the flood in.

Reading Notices: Set in body type

HUNT'S DAILY LETTER

BY HARRY B. HUNT,
NEW YORK, July 7.—The Democratic National Convention just about New York theaters out of business.

Theatrical managers, who had hoped to reap a rich harvest from convention visitors, found their houses deserted, instead of filled. Even liberal distribution of free "paper" failed to fill the seats and give a semblance of business. Within the first week of the convention, no less than 10 theaters, several of which had opened specially to provide entertainment for the Bonnerite delegates, had shut up shop. The receipts from tickets hadn't been enough to pay the electric light bill.

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Pineville sent a nice delegation to enjoy the fourth with us. Next time the county seat pulls a stunt, remember in kind. They are good neighbors and the closer affiliation between the two towns is the better for all.

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Light face, 15¢ per line. Set in black face body type, 30¢ per line. Marking "advertisement" included in paid space. Lodge notices, 50¢ per inch, special rates by yearly contract.

Card of Thanks: \$1.00 if not over 10 lines; additional lines 10¢ per line.

Obituary Notices, 50¢ per inch, minimum charge, \$1.00.

Tom Sims Says

No matter how odd it gets, it is always anxious to run.

The demand for people who are polite exceeds the supply.

Collectors usually haunt a man when the ghost walks at the office.

Some college has been giving the thermometer a few honorary degrees.

Every auto accident is caused by jay walkers or jay drivers.

Justice is blind, but most of us think we are eye doctors.

Some men stay away so much that when they do eat at home they look for the menu.

No Fourth of July is complete without somebody calling our flag "The colors that never run."

We have our ups and downs. An optimist looks forward to the ups and a pessimist to the downs.

Men are known by the company they keep; women by the clothes they keep on wearing.

June is gone and those who managed to stay single through it are fairly safe for another 11 months.

A common dog is the safest watch dog. Get a good dog and some burglar is liable to steal him.

Too many tired business men work themselves into heart failure trying to avoid business failure.

RADIO PROGRAM TO BE BROADCAST IN U. S. TOMORROW

PROGRAM FOR JULY 8
(Courtesy of Radio Digest)

Associated Press—WSB—Atlanta Journal (420) 8-9
orchestra; 10:15 orchestra.

WGR—Buffalo (319) 4:30 music;

5:30 news.

WMAQ—Chicago News (447.5) organ;

5:30 orche-tra; 7 book review;

7:10 French; 8 civil service; 8:15 quartet.

KYW—Chicago (536) 6 concert; 7

Chicago Musical College; 7:20 farm talks; 7:50 musical; 9:10-30 program.

WLS—Chicago (315) 5:30-9 organ;

extra, music, farm talk; 9 German,

music master; 10 request program.

WLW—Cincinnati (309) 9 minstrel show; 11 orche-tra.

WJAX—Cleveland News (390) 6:30

bedtime; 7 concert; 8:30 news; 9:30 farm news, musical; 11:12 theatrical artists.

WWJD—Detroit News (517) 6 band;

8:30 News orchestra.

WDAF—Kansas City Star (411) 4:30-4:40 trio; 5:50-10 child talk; 6-7 School of the Air; 11:15 Night hawks.

WHAS—Courier Journal Louisville Times (400) 7:30-9 p. m. orchestra.

KJL—Los Angeles (395) 8 concert;

8:45 children; 10 concert; 12 dance.

WMC—Memphis Commercial Appeal (500) 8:30 program; 11 frolic.

WLAG—Minneapolis-St. Paul (417) 7:30 lectures.

CKAC—Montreal (425) 6 kiddies;

6:30 orchestra; 7:30 studio; 9:30 dance.

WHN—New York (366) 12 State

Theatre vaudeville; 1:15-6 concert.

WOR—Newark (405) 12:45-6 solo

orchestras.

KGO—Oakland (312) 10 musical; 12

3 a. m. dance.

WAAW—Omaha (360) 8-9 Zion

Lutheran Church.

WOAW—Omaha (526) 6-7:30 pro-

gram; 9:11 music.

WDAR—Philadelphia (395) 5:30

talk.

WFI—Philadelphia (395) 4 talk;

4:30 orchestra; 6 recital; 7 concert;

9:05 dance.

KDKA—Pittsburgh (326) 5:30 chil-

dren; 5:45 feature; 6:15 bird talk; 7

quartet; 8 concert.

WCAE—Pittsburgh (462) 4:30 con-

cert; 6:30 Uncle Kaybee; 7:30 musi-

cal talk; 8:15 tri.

How Can They Put On a Good Fight With This Interrupting?



150,000 BRITISHERS MENTALLY DEFICIENT

Minister of Health Makes Report to the London Conference.

Associated Press—LONDON, July 7.—More than 150,000 persons in Great Britain, or one in every 200, are mentally deficient.

Minister of Health Wheatley made

a statement to the conference here. Referring to the number of such persons confined in prisons for various offenses, he said that he had wondered whether the person who sent the mentally defective persons to be punished for something which he did, and could not avoid doing was not himself

on an annual contract for yearly

requirements with a provision that the coal be delivered monthly in equal

allowances.

It urges that consumers provide

necessary storage facilities to meet

the terms of such contracts."

HOME BREW! WHAT? BAVARIA CELEBRATES

Nine Hundredth Anniversary of Eltercent Herb Inn Brew.

By Associated Press.

MUNICH, July 7.—"Brewing your own" in Bavaria, famous for its beers, was started 900 years ago this summer, according to the best information that has been handed down from generation to generation and plans have been inaugurated to celebrate the event in some fitting manner within the next few months.

The first hop vines are said to have

been brought to this section of the

country by monks, who soon after

began brewing their own beer, but where they got the vines history does not tell.

Hop gardens existed in parts of France and Germany in the eighth and ninth centuries, but it was not until the seventeenth century that hop cultivation and beer drinking became popular in continental Europe.

One hundred pounds of wheat produces 70 pounds of flour.

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Bryant-Pridemore

Wedding
Miss Ida Lee Pridemore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Pridemore, became the bride of Glenn Bryant at Cumberland Gap Friday, Magistrate R. W. Brooks officiating. The couple left for Virginia for a wedding trip after the ceremony. Mr. Bryant is the son of Mrs. Katherine Bryant.

Dance At Cumberland

Mrs. Fred Sprague will entertain a small party of friends with a porch dance at the Hotel Cumberland this evening.

Y. W. A. Meets With Mrs. Hoe.

The Y. W. A. of the First Baptist church will meet with the leader, Mrs. Ed Hoe, at 7 o'clock tonight.

Euzelian Class To Have Picnic.

The Euzelian class of the First Baptist church will give a picnic at Clear Creek Springs, Friday, July 11. Cars will leave Sterchi's corner at 7 o'clock. Those wishing to go by train may do so. All members are invited to attend the event which was previously scheduled for Tuesday.

Middlesboro Choral Society Rehearsal

The regular weekly rehearsal of the Middlesboro Choral Society will be held tonight, Monday, at 7:30 o'clock in the Community Room of the Carnegie Library, under the direction of Professor Harry Rupert Carr, of Knoxville. These always delightful and worth while rehearsals are being well attended by the old and new members of the society.

Party for New York Guest.

Mrs. P. T. Colgan entertained at her home Saturday night in honor of Robert Cunningham, of New York City, who is the guest of his uncle Warren Cunningham. The entertainment was in the nature of a Leap Year Party and the most popular boy was awarded a prize. The color scheme of red, white and blue was carried out in the decorations and refreshment. Favors for the out of town guests were small spinning wheels. About forty guests, in all were present, those from out of town being; Mr. Cunningham, Robert Sterritt of Lebanon, Robert McKown of Marion, Ga., Miss Charlotte McKown of Martinsburg, W. Va., and Miss Corinella Frazer.

NOTICE!

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"AL" SMITH IS BEST DRESSED ASPIRANT

Hard-Boiled Reports Pick New York Governor.

BAKER SECOND PICK

J. Ham Lewis Still Scores, But Ohio Men Lead In Convention Sar-torials.

NEW YORK, July 7.—Governor Alfred E. Smith of New York was voted the best dressed candidate after a poll had been taken of approximately 500 newspaper men covering the democratic convention and campaign headquarters in New York City. A questionnaire with a stamped envelope for reply was sent to all accredited reporters at their respective hotels, and the answers showed that in their estimation the man who got his early business experience at Fulton Fish Market, New York City, wore better clothes than any one other candidate for the presidency.

Congressman Charles A. Mooney, delegate from Cleveland, Ohio, was voted the best-dressed delegate. Newton D. Baker, of Shaker Heights, Ohio, and Secretary of War in the late President Wilson's cabinet, was voted the second-best dressed candidate, although up to the fourth day of the convention Mr. Baker was not even considered a remote possibility for the nomination.

William G. McAdoo, California's candidate, and former Secretary of the Treasury in his father-in-law's cabinet, was leading the race Thursday by almost 200 votes, but was nudged only a few votes by the hard-boiled reporters. So far as good clothes are concerned,

Two correspondents sent in the name of Mrs. Leroy Springs of Lancaster, South Carolina, as the "best-dressed candidate" in their opinion. Other candidates who polled votes were Carter Glass, the senator from Virginia; Albert C. Ritchie, governor of Maryland, and James Hamilton Lewis, from Illinois, whose sartorial effects have never been questioned at the Capitol.

Of the 1146 delegates at the convention the poll disclosed a scant fifteen of the males were sufficiently well groomed to cause the reporters to give them a thought. Their names follow: William E. Dever, Illinois; Robert L. Owen, Oklahoma; George R. Lunn, New York; William Upshaw, Georgia; John H. Walrath, New York; Ralph Waldo Long, New York; R. J. McDonald of Massachusetts;

Charles A. Mooney, Ohio; J. Hamilton Lewis, Illinois; C. A. Lord, Nebraska; Thomas J. Walsh, Montana (permanent chairman); William Jennings Bryan of Florida, and Joseph Mundell of Illinois.

AMUSEMENTS

Colleen Moore Here In "Painted People"

One of the most delicious comedies of the season will be on view Tuesday at the Browning theatre. It is "Painted People," a First National picture featuring Colleen Moore, the little star who created a sensation throughout the country through her impersonation of the thrill-seeking flapper in "Flaming Youth."

"Painted People" which is based on Richard Connell's Collier's Weekly story, "The Swamp Angel," deals with the adventures of a boy and a girl who are entranced by the visions of "high life," afforded them by the residents living on the "other side of the tracks" in their town, and who deliberately set out to gain admission to the sacred precincts.

One of the many laughable episodes in the production centers about the efforts of the two to break into some-

DANCING GIRLS BACK IN EUROPE

Dearth Since 1914 Is Revived Again In 1924, It Is Said.

By Associated Press.
DANZIG.—English dancing girls, who disappeared like magic from the stages of Continental Europe in August, 1914, have begun to return to their former fields of activity and have even invaded Russia where they were always popular prior to the war. It has been nearly ten years since the London dancers have been seen to any extent in the cities of central Europe, although at intervals during the war there were a few troupes appearing in Paris, Madrid, Rome and some other places.

Throughout Europe before the war, wherever there were variety theatres or music halls, there were English dancing girls, known for their sprightly dancing often combined with singing stunts. Even in old St. Petersburg and Moscow, the home of the Russian ballet, the dancing girls from London were always well received.

This spring a troupe has been touring the Scandinavian cities and the Baltic states and from Danzig goes on to Leningrad, where there have been no English performers since the Soviets came into power. Later the dancers will visit Warsaw, Bucharest, Budapest, Vienna and numerous other cities. Several other troupes from London also took the road this spring and have been appearing in Rotterdam, Stockholm, Copenhagen, Berlin and other northern cities.

FEAR SEASICKNESS MORE THAN GUNS

Soviet Navy Don't Like Long Distance Cruising, It Is Said.

Associated Press.
RIGA, Latvia, July.—Seasickness is a great handicap to the activities of the Soviet navy, says naval expert Lukashewich in an article in the Soviet press discussing the necessity for long-distance cruising for the Red Fleet.

It is impossible, the writer says, to speak about the preparedness of the fleet unless it has had practical experience with such cruising. At present, the Soviet fleet is manned by young factory workers, and he expresses the belief that more than half the crew would be put out of action through seasickness in their first acquaintance with wind and waves.

In the Caspian sea during the Civil War, Lukashewich noted, seasickness disabled 80 per cent of the crew, and the remainder had the greatest difficulty in saving ships.

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FOR RENT, five room completely furnished apartment with bath, lights and water furnished. Call Old phone 798, Mrs. M. L. Frazer.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Used truck, 2 ton capacity. Catron's Garage.

FOR SALE—Brand new Dodge Coupe. 1923 Ford Touring. See Murray, Faulconer's Garage.

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HOTEL owner, worth \$60,000, wishes early marriage. U-Box 866, League, Denver, Colo.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—V-shaped gold hospital class pin, with initials G. S. H., at ball park. Return to Mrs. Lena Snyder, Metropolitan office.

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